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## **WSP Detectives Arrest Suspect in Liberty Lake Carjacking**

Washington State Patrol detectives arrested 22 year old Justin J. Mager at his girlfriend's residence yesterday after an anonymous tip lead them to a South Airpark address in the Spokane Valley. WSP detectives had been conducting surveillance at the residence after being called to assist with the case by the Liberty Lake Police Department.

Mager was booked into the Spokane County Jail on an outstanding felony warrant issued by the Department of Corrections. Mager's girlfriend, 19 year old Amanda M. Monroy was also booked into the jail for rendering criminal assistance.

WSP detectives contacted a residence in Newman Lake were the handgun believed to have been used in the carjacking in Liberty Lake was located. Detectives are working on filing probable cause paperwork later today detailing Mager's actions during the carjacking Thursday night. Mager could face charges of felony assault (two counts), robbery, and possession of stolen property and weapons violations.

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